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**EXAMINING GROUP 1644**

For: PROSTATIC CANCER VACCINE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Action mailed June 11, 2003 (Paper No. 33) for which a two month early response is due on August 11, 2003. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection as contained in the Office Action, and the enclosed discussion is offered in response.